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Please amend the claims to the following:

1.(currently amended) A safety latch for a drawer, comprising:
 an L-shaped body, including a vertical leg; and a horizontal leg projecting inwardly from said vertical leg; and
 an a horizontal engaging arm projecting from said horizontal leg along a plane parallel to and offset from said vertical leg,
 said vertical leg having a flat outer surface for mounting to the inside of a drawer; and
 said engaging arm having a top surface defining forward and rear ramps and a trough between said forward and rear ramps, said trough defining an upward opening, and said ramps terminating short of said upward opening in a vertical plane;
 wherein said engaging arm is movable up and down relative to said vertical leg.

2.(currently amended) A safety latch for a drawer as recited in claim 1, wherein said L-shaped body is made in a unitary piece, and including a horizontal leg projecting inwardly from said vertical leg, wherein said engaging arm projects forward from said horizontal leg and is movable by flexing said unitary piece.

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3.(original) A safety latch for a drawer as recited in claim 2, and further comprising a fastening means on said vertical leg for securing said vertical leg to the inside of a drawer.

4.(original) A safety latch for a drawer as recited in claim 3, wherein said fastening means comprises an adhesive strip.

5.(original) A safety latch for a drawer as recited in claim 2, wherein said forward ramp tapers from a lower elevation in front to a higher elevation in back, and said rear ramp tapers from a higher elevation in front to a lower elevation in back.

6.(previously presented) A cabinet, comprising:

- a frame;

- a front face mounted on said frame and defining an opening having a front-to-back depth;

- a drawer mounted on said frame and movable in a front-to-back direction through said opening, said drawer including left and right side panels and a bottom panel and defining an inner surface;

- a safety latch including

- an L-shaped body, having

- a vertical leg, mounted on said inner surface,

- a horizontal leg projecting from said vertical leg; and

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a horizontal engaging arm projecting forward from said horizontal leg and having a top surface which defines forward and rear ramps and a trough between said ramps, said trough defining an upward opening having a front-to-back distance that is at least as deep as the front-to-back depth of said front face; wherein said forward ramp tapers from a lower elevation in front to a higher elevation in back, and said rear ramp tapers from a higher elevation in front to a lower elevation in back; and said latch is mounted at a height such that said trough receives said front face and stops the movement of said drawer both when the drawer is being opened and when it is being closed.

7.(original) A cabinet as recited in claim 6, wherein said latch is a unitary piece, and said engaging arm is movable up and down parallel to said vertical leg by flexing between said engaging arm and said horizontal leg.

8.(previously presented) A safety latch for a drawer as recited in claim 1, wherein said forward ramp tapers from a lower elevation in front to a higher elevation in back, and said rear ramp tapers from a higher elevation in front to a lower elevation in back.

9.(previously presented) A safety latch for a drawer as recited in claim 1, wherein said trough has substantially straight front and rear walls.

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10.(currently amended) A drawer latch for use in a cabinet having a front face and at least one drawer, comprising:

a one-piece L-shaped latch body, including a vertical leg; a horizontal leg projecting inwardly from said vertical leg; and
an engaging arm projecting from said horizontal leg along a plane that is parallel to and offset from the plane of said vertical leg;

means for mounting said latch body to the inside of a drawer; and

means for stopping the drawer by abutting the front face of the cabinet both when opening and closing the drawer, wherein said means for stopping the drawer includes said engaging arm having a top surface defining forward and rear ramps and a trough between said forward and rear ramps.

11.(previously presented) A drawer latch as recited in claim 10, wherein said one-piece latch body includes means for selectively releasing said latch from the front face of the cabinet in order to open and close the drawer.